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HAVE WE A FRIEND AT WASHINGTON?

Editor of the Herald: I see that the fine tug Powhatan, which Rear Admiral Highborn tried to have sent here, and which Assistant Secretary Hackett learned from the bureau of navigation was on very important duty, has been sent to New York for use as a yard tug. Since the effort was made to get her here she has been lying at League Island. The broken down Sioux, which was to be sent here, is still at Norfolk. The Piscataqua, which was purchased for this yard, was allowed to be taken away and sent to the Philippines.

WILL HOLD SIX SHOTS.

Representatives of the Portsmouth gun club, Exeter sportsmen's club, the Dover sportsmen's club and the Dover sportsmen's association have decided to hold six shots the coming season in the cup contest, and as Portsmouth had made plans for a shoot on Memorial day, it was decided to hold the first one of the cup series on that occasion, instead of at Exeter, as had been planned. The second will probably be at Exeter on July 4.

The weather condition for farming is rather wet. Farming is backward for the season.

CHEERING NEWS.

Mrs. McKinley Decidedly Better.

Not Yet Out Of Danger, But Steadily Improving.

Crisis Expected In About Forty-Eight Hours.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—President McKinley described marked improvement in Mrs. McKinley's condition today. The sinking spell which was feared in the early hours before dawn did not come. There was a slight tendency in that direction, but that was all. Everybody feels much encouraged by the day's developments. It is not to be assumed, however, that Mrs. McKinley has passed the crisis and is out of danger. She is still dangerously ill, and it will be at least forty-eight hours before it will be safe to say that the crisis is passed. The president will not attend the launching of the Ohio tomorrow, and it is hardly probable that the governor of Ohio, who has traveled across the continent to attend the launching, will be able to be present, his eyes are so swollen from contact with poisoned oak, which he encountered during a visit to the big trees at Santa Cruz. His physician does not believe that it will be wise for him to go into the light and open air.

FIREMEN INJURED AT A LYNN FIRE.

LYNN, MASS., May 17.—Five firemen were injured and probably fatally, at a small fire in Oxford street here this afternoon by the breaking of a ladder. W. F. Marvin of steamer one sustained a fractured skull and probably cannot recover; Everett Mowatt, Charles Haraden and R. T. Hamilton of the same company, and Lewis A. Chapman of ladder truck one, received injuries about the legs and body and were taken to the hospital.

FIREWORKS EXPLODED.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 17.—A special to the Globe, from Bemidjie, Minn., says that the Norwegian festivities to-day ended in a terrible catastrophe. A lot of fireworks on the steamer Shadow exploded during a pyrotechnic display, and out of about thirty people on board, five small boys and several men received perhaps fatal burns, and four small boys were drowned.

GIGANTIC RAILROAD FRAUDS.

BERLIN, May 17.—Frauds and peculations amounting to thirty-one million roubles have been discovered upon the Russo Polish and Vistula railroad. They were carried out by wholesale declarations of deficient freight weights. In Warsaw alone forty arrests have been made.

DEATH OF MRS. LYMAN J. GAGE.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Mrs. Gage, wife of Secretary Lyman J. Gage of the treasury department, died at her residence in this city at half past nine o'clock this evening.

THREE KILLED, THREE INJURED.

ST. JOHN'S, N. B., May 17.—Three men were killed and three injured, today, by the collapse of a tall chimney upon which they were working.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Forecast for New England: Rain Saturday; Sunday fair; fresh southerly winds, becoming northwesterly.

WHEEL CAME OFF.

A double team, containing a couple of ladies and a gentleman, was being driven up Congress street early on Friday evening, when one of the rear wheels came off, throwing the occupants out. Fortunately no one was injured, and the damage was repaired at a near-by livery stable.

BASE BALL.

The following was the result of the base ball games played yesterday:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston 6, St. Louis 7; at Boston Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 6; at Philadelphia.

New York 0, Chicago 4; at New York Brooklyn 10, Cincinnati 5; at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston 1, Baltimore 7; at Boston. Cleveland 4, Detroit 6; at Cleveland. Washington 8, Athletics 7; at Washington.

Chicago 7, Milwaukee 6; at Chicago.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

Rochester 13, Syracuse 6; at Rochester.

All other games postponed on account of rain.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell 22, Portland 11; at Lowell. Haverhill 5, Lewiston 4; at Haverhill. Manchester 11, Augusta 4; at Manchester.

Nashua 1, Bangor 11; at Nashua.

BASE BALL.

The base ball team of Portsmouth High school was defeated at the navy yard, by the Marines, on Friday afternoon, in an interesting game, by a score of eleven to six. Collamore pitched a splendid game for the winning team while Harding and Frank Newick, who in turn occupied the box for P. H. S., also did good work. A series of wild throws and unfortunate errors, combined with two or three good hits in the fifth and eighth innings, were responsible for a goodly proportion of the runs scored by the Marines. The score:

Marines	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
P. H. S.	1 0 0 2 3 2 0 3 4-11
	2 0 0 0 0 4 0 0-6

The Marines will cross bats with the Kittery team on the navy yard grounds this Saturday afternoon. Paul will be in the box for the last named team, and the Kitterys have great confidence in his ability to hold down the Marine hitters.

Howard, one of the best men on the pitching staff of the Lewiston New England league team, is a deaf mute. It is pretty certain that Howard will object very little to the umpire's decisions.

The Mapwood Athletic club team will play the Button factory team, at Mapwood park, this afternoon, and next Saturday the strong Epping team will play the Mapwood Athletic club boys in this city. It is almost certain, also, that two games will be played with Charley Brackett's Greenland team, on Memorial day, at Hampton Beach.

INCREASE OF STOCK.

The Hampton and Amesbury Street Railway company has voted to increase its capital stock by \$50,000 to defray the cost of the Haverhill, Plaistow and Newton extension.

Wild With Eczema

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"After spending two years in taking all kinds of medicines that were suggested for eczema, but without avail, my mother was induced to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The result was wonderfully gratifying. Her limbs had been terribly lacerated by the disease, and there were times when fire could not have been more painful. She was, in fact, almost wild. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla completely cured her, and not a trace of eczema was left." E. W. DECKER, Gardiner, N. Y.

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NO SETTLEMENT.

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ALBANY, N. Y., May 17.—No settlement has been reached in the great railway strike. After hours of conference between the officers of the United Traction company and the committee of the organized strikers the meeting adjourned without changing the situation. The company will proceed to run its cars as usual, tomorrow, on all its lines, under military protection. Everything is quiet tonight.

THE BOSTONIANS.

Chief among the singers of the Bostonians who have created sensations this season with the music loving public, are the handsome tenors, Albert Parr and Vernon Stiles, who have been added to the forces of this organization. Tenor voices of heroic quality are such a rarity these days that true voices of this type are hailed with general acclaim. Mr. Parr especially deserves special mention, and divides honors with John Dunsmuir, the splendid basso of this company, who has stamped with enduring success the roles that have been assigned him by the management of the Bostonians. Mr. Dunsmuir possesses a voice of exceptional power and range, and a sturdy and manly personality. These artists will have prominent roles in the presentation of The Sirenade during the production here on Wednesday evening next.

WILL PREACH AT THE NORTH CHURCH.

Rev. J. L. Jenkins, D. D., of the State street church, Portland, one of the strongest preachers in the congregational body, will conduct the services at the North Congregational church in this city on Sunday.

A VERY PLEASANT PARTY.

Knights Of The Golden Eagle Score A Success.

Pierce Hall The Scene Of A Most Enjoyable Dance.

Good Music, Good Weather And A Good Crowd.

The social dance held under the auspices of Oak Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, on Friday evening, was one of the most enjoyable parties of the season. The devotees of Terpsichore were present in full force, and he who was in any way dissatisfied is hypocritical indeed. The arrangement of the affair was in charge of Frederick Gardner, and no detail was left unexecuted, and nothing which might add to the pleasure of the attendants was neglected.

From eight until nearly nine, Joy & Philbrick's orchestra was heard in concert selections. The programme follows:

1. March, Junior Republic. Eberle
2. Overture, Taweroh. Rosini
3. Dance des Sultaness. Polak-Daniels
4. Moroccan, The Butterfly. Boadix
- For Flute and Clarinet.
5. Finale.

The grand march was led by Mayor Edward E. McIntire and Mrs. Robert M. Herrick, followed by the officers and leading members of Oak Castle. The latter appeared in dress uniform and presented a most attractive appearance.

The order of dances was long, but notwithstanding, the dancers would not consent to depart without the usual number of extras. The performance of Joy & Philbrick's musicians was in keeping with the enviable reputation they have attained as purveyors of dance music, and nearly every dance evoked enthusiastic applause, many being repeated several times.

Taken all in all, the affair was one of the most successful ever held in Portsmouth, and Oak Castle will hereafter take high rank among the social organizations of the city.

The committee: Floor Director, Robert M. Herrick; Assistants, Frederick Gardner, Chas. W. Hanson;

Aids, Charles F. Cole, Clarence Canney, Allison L. Phinney, Edward F. Graham, Fred E. Heiser, Richard E. Hannaford, W. P. Gerry, Charles E. Oliver.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

The U. S. S. Eagle has been ordered to this yard.

The U. S. tug Nezinscott is undergoing repairs.

The Naval band gives two outdoor concerts daily at the navy yard.

Four laborers were required in the department of steam engineering on Friday.

Orders have been received to build a new boiler for the U. S. S. Yankton at this yard.

F. L. Banks of Lewiston, Maine, has reported for duty as an electrician in the general store.

The removal of the old shiphouse will make a decided improvement in the yard appearance.

A new covered band stand is shortly to be erected in place of the stand now occupied by the band.

Captain Parker and a squad of twenty-five marines have gone into camp at Eliot for rifle practice.

Extensive improvements are shortly to be made in the magazine at this station and nearly a thousand dollars will be expended in these repairs.

Emory R. Carrier, draughtsman in construction and repair has been transferred to Washington. A Bath man will be ordered here to fill the vacancy.

Through the slipping of a beam several of the steam engineering force at work on the Ierna Mercedes received bad bruises on Thursday. All but one of the men were able to resume work however.

The board consisting of Captain P. F. Harrington, Naval Constructor J. G. Tawressey and Civil Engineer L. E. Gregory, appointed to examine candidates for appointments, have completed their duty.

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 New York; League Island, Pa.; Washington,
 D. C.; Norfolk, Va.; Pensacola, Fla.; the
 Naval Station, Newport, R. I.; Fort Koyah,
 N. C.; and the Naval Academy, Annapolis,
 Md.; the annual supply of coal at the Navy
 Hospitals, Dispensaries, etc., at Portsmouth, N.
 H.; Chelsea, Mass.; Newport, R. I.; New
 York; Philadelphia, Pa.; Washington, D. C.;
 Norfolk, Va.; Black Point, P. E. I.; and
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THE CLOWN'S MISHAP.



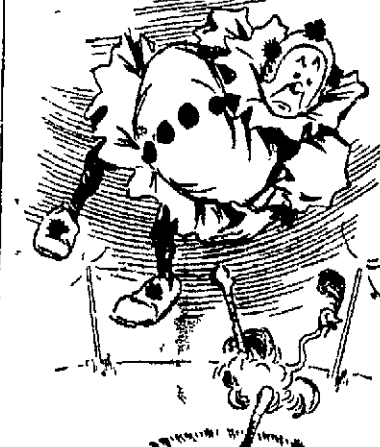
1. The clown introduces his great
 balancing feat.



2. The ostrich recognizes its lost
 feather.



3. —and—



4. The act ends with a high kick.

THE OLD CONSTITUTION.

Fair Proposed to Raise Money to Re-
 build the Frigate.

Boston, May 18.—A public meeting
 will be held in Faneuil Hall next Fri-
 day in connection with plans for a great
 fair to be held in October for raising
 money necessary to rebuild the old
 United States frigate Constitution.

This meeting has been called by the
 Massachusetts State Society United
 States Daughters of 1812, which is au-
 thorized by act of Congress, to raise the
 sum of \$1,000,000 to rebuild the ship.

Results.

WOMAN AND HOME.

DISTINGUISHED LINEAGE AMONG THE
 WOMEN OF THE SOUTH.

Nice Complexions Are Rare—Dangers
 of Overexercise—A Fine Needle-
 woman—Why Women Don't Get
 Rich—Housework Demands Ability.

Two or three centuries ago, both in the
 northern and southern states, were es-
 tablished families in whose homes flowed
 the best blood of the old continent, and
 those that took root in the warm, latiny
 south have for the most part remained
 there until the present day with small or
 no admixture of foreign blood.

So it has come to pass that in the south
 more than in any other section of the
 country may be found some of the most
 positive and clearly defined American
 types, the largest proportion of those who
 have been American in unbroken lines of
 descent for nearly 300 years. Many
 southern women represent historic as
 well as royal lines of descent.

Mrs. Electra Semmes Colston of Mo-
 bile belongs to a historic family. She is



MRS. ELECTRA SEMMES COLSTON.
 the eldest daughter of Admiral Semmes,
 the "viking of the south," and his wife,
 Anne E. Spencer. The paternal ancestors
 of Admiral Semmes came to Maryland
 with Lord Baltimore and, it is said, may
 be traced back to a follower of the con-
 queror with one break in the line of de-
 scent. His mother was Catherine Hoes
 Middleton, of distinguished lineage.

The Spencer ancestor is said to have
 come to America during the reign of
 Charles II and to have been related to
 the Earl of Spencer and the Duchess of
 Marlborough, the original name having
 been De Spencer. Oliver, the grandfa-
 ther of Anne Spencer, was a gallant sol-
 dier and conspicuous for valorous service
 during the Revolutionary war. He
 equipped a regiment at his own expense,
 was wounded in the battle of Brandy-
 wine, and at Monmouth has his horse
 shot under him. His commission in the
 Order of the Cincinnati was signed by
 General Washington.—A Southern Wom-
 an in New York Herald.

Nice Complexions Are Rare.
 The complexion on the streets of veils
 of the chiffon and sewing silk variety
 makes it apparent that women are be-
 coming to think of the tanned freckles that
 come with this season. This is a difficult
 climate to raise complexions in, as every
 girl who has had any such desire can tes-
 tify. The air is so full of smoke and dust
 that one's face gets fairly black when out
 of doors. That necessitates washing it
 with soap and that is never very good for
 the skin. Then the sudden changes of
 weather make it very easy for the sensi-
 tive skin to become chapped.

An elderly woman who has a bright
 complexion and a soft skin that are the
 envy of every young woman who meets
 her says there are just three essentials to
 a complexion like hers.

"First," she says, "be born well, then
 lead an out of door life and do not over-
 eat. The first condition, of course, a girl
 can't control, but that is the right of ev-
 ery human being and the world will be
 better when every individual in it recog-
 nizes the fact. But the second and third
 conditions every girl can fulfill with profit
 to herself. Most girls are afraid of being
 out of doors. They think of the evils of
 sun and freckles, and so they keep them-
 selves indoors where lack of exercise pro-
 duces poor circulation of the blood and in-
 digestion, and then wonder why their
 complexions are so puffy. American
 girls would do well to pattern more after
 the British girls, who walk and ride and
 keep out of doors as much as possible.
 Especially is it desirable to take walks in
 rainy weather. The dampness clears up
 the complexion and cleanses the skin,
 and if one is properly dressed, no harm
 can come of it.

"About eating; candy and ice cream so-
 das are doing more than anything else to
 ruin the complexions of the young women
 of today. The most sweet food makes
 the blood impure, and it is that which
 causes the little eruptions to break out on
 the face. The proper diet should include
 a great deal of fruit, wholesome bread
 and butter and not much meat of a
 greasy nature."

"Do you think veils help?"

"Well, in this climate, yes. For people
 who live in clear or damp atmospheres I
 think it is well to uncover the face. But
 there is too much wind and dust here for
 that, and wind and dirt are the principal
 enemies of a soft skin."—Washington Star.

Dangers of Overexercise.
 The busy woman needs to conserve her
 nervous forces and to increase it by ev-
 ery possible means. If her health is ex-
 cellent, she will be greatly profited by
 moderate exercise, but she will find it
 greatly to her advantage to take this at
 first in small and divided doses, only in-
 creasing the amount after days of mod-
 eration and rest. If, on the contrary, her
 winter's work leaves her not ill, but ex-
 hausted, "tired out," complete rest for
 one or two weeks, taken out of doors, is
 frequently the best prescription that can
 be given.

The amount and duration of this rest
 cannot be absolutely specified here, as it
 must depend upon the individual needs.
 In general, at least a week of "lying
 around" will be found very profitable, in
 which short drives may be taken and a

ten minute easy walk in the cool of the
 day. Many will improve best by adding
 a second week of outdoor rest to the first
 and interspersing the hours in the ham-
 mock with a short ride on a wheel, not
 exceeding 20 minutes at first, of a couple
 of miles on the golf course or some equal-
 ly temperate method of easy exercise.

Whether this second week needs to be
 one of complete rest or not must be fol-
 lowed by a personal question. If the
 woman is able to perform her usual work
 and to do it upon personal grounds, tak-
 ing her own measure rationally and not
 that of some athlete or other wholly vig-
 orous person as her standard and abide by
 this, she will gain more actual rest than
 desert and energy from her often all too
 short vacation than her former considen-
 tious routine of so many miles a day has
 ever brought to her. One needs to be ac-
 customed, as it were, to a vacation, to
 change of diet as well as to the change of
 air, to the lack of absorbing occupation
 and the general disturbance of daily labor
 before making prolonged physical exer-
 cise. Some of the signs that exercise as
 beneficial are an improved appetite and
 digestion, restful sleep and a gradually
 increasing sense of vigor and well being.
 The fatigue that lasts overnight (except
 in the case of a new form of exercise) is
 a sign of overexercise.—Harper's Bazar.

A Fine Needlewoman.
 Catherine de Medici, the arch plotter
 and schemer, was very skillful with her
 hands and used to gather round her her
 daughters, Claude, Elizabeth and Marg-
 aret, and the young dauphiness, Marie
 Stuart, and with them spend many after-
 dinner hours in silk embroidery. Per-
 haps the unhappy Marie's taste for needle-
 work dated from those days, for when
 she came to her own kingdom, far from
 that "pleasant land of France," her in-
 dustry was remarkable. When she sat
 daily for several hours in council with
 her ministers and advisers, a little sandal-
 wood table holding her workbasket was
 always placed by her chair of state, and
 she stitched diligently while she talked
 and listened. It was a habit that stood
 her in good stead, for practically her one
 occupation during the long after years of
 her captivity was needlework. Sir Wil-
 liam Drummond, the bard of Hawthornden,
 writing to Ben Jonson, says: "I
 have been curious to find out for you the
 imprints and emblems all over with
 wrought and gold by the late Queen Mary,
 mother to our sacred sovereign. The first
 is the loadstone swimming toward the
 pole, the word, her motto, 'do it please-
 antly' in an anagram, 'Marie Stuarta' (sa-
 vertu m'attire), which is not much infer-
 ior to 'euistas armata' (armed truth),
 which is likewise meant as an anagram
 on Marie Stuarta. With the word 'un-
 digne' (on every side) added it would sig-
 nify that through the cross she was sur-
 rounded at all points." The remnants of this
 bed are at Hardwick, whither they were
 taken from Chatsworth. At Hardwick
 also are two pictorial tapestries worked
 by Mary in tent stitch. They were dis-
 covered by a former Duke of Devonshire
 in an old oak chest, where they had
 lain for over two centuries, uninjured by
 moth or damp, and the colors as fresh
 and bright as when first combined.

Why Women Don't Get Rich.
 Because women spend so much they
 are hardly ever in the field investing
 when the chance comes along. No person
 can invest unless he has the wherewithal.
 Most great fortunes have been started by
 men who saved and saved and saved and
 finally had a few hundred or a few thou-
 sand dollars to invest whenever the op-
 portunity should come. There are many
 women who earn good salaries and who
 might lay by a few hundred dollars a
 year if they were so minded. But that is
 not the way of women. They spend every
 cent they make and in most cases have
 their monthly salary all spent before it's
 in their hands. As long as women won't
 save they're not likely to have many ven-
 ues in millions in this country.

Sometimes a woman who really
 wants to increase her fortune, but she
 soon realizes that conditions are against
 her. A woman hasn't as many chances
 for making money as men have. She
 isn't around among men as a rule, and
 she doesn't hear of the opportunities for
 investment which are talked of day by
 day in Wall street and other financial
 centers. She wants to buy stocks, but
 she has saved up a few hundreds to invest,
 but she doesn't know how to go about it.
 Most women are afraid to venture into
 the regions where man reigns supreme.

The foolish timidity for a woman can-
 not get along with a man in any way
 if she only conducts herself properly and
 looks out for herself. I am able to man-
 age my affairs better than any man could
 manage them, and what man has done
 woman can do. If I had let other people
 do my business for me, I most likely
 wouldn't have had any business to do
 now, and it is the duty of every woman,
 I believe, to learn to take care of her
 own business affairs.—Mrs. Hetty Green
 in Success.

Housework Demands Ability.
 A young woman who can act as general
 housemaid (that is the position most de-
 manding, most onerous and most in need
 of occupants) must be a bit of a mechan-
 ic, very much of a cook, must understand
 the duties of a landress and must be
 able of course to sweep, dust and make
 beds properly. She must be a bit of a
 mechanic, because our labor saving ma-
 chines will not run themselves. The other
 requirements are obvious. Often the
 furniture in a house where a maid of all
 work is employed is so pretty and dainty
 that it requires especial care. The lin-
 en and the silver are as beautiful as in the
 household where three servants share the
 care of it, and I have read menus for the
 maid of all work's dinners that were
 quite as elaborate as those where the
 cook attends only to cooking instead of
 "slipping on her neat white apron after
 she has dished the dinner, carefully put-
 ting the cooking utensils to soak in the
 sink or on the stove, full of hot water,
 in which has been sprinkled a tablespoon-
 ful of this or that powder" and slipping
 into a warm robe.

It can be done, of all this, and done
 well, but I contend that to do it demands
 a combination of quickness, dexterity and
 clear planning which only belongs to abili-
 ty. I am confident that a good general house-
 maid is far superior in mind to the aver-
 age shopgirl, except in the higher grades.
 She has to use forethought, organization,
 instant decision and keen observation, all
 high mental qualities. In fine, she needs
 to be a woman of ability.—Octave Thanet
 in Good Housekeeping.

Miss Tardytoes.
 The woman who is always late! Her
 offense is not one for state legislation to
 decide upon, but it is quite serious non-
 vertice. There's no immediate need
 of throwing her in jail or putting her

and things on her wrists, but there is a
 tremendous need of telling her a thing
 or two—or three or four or maybe half a
 dozen. "Will this miscreant, this dread-
 ful offender, please stand up? If you
 were not so charmingly naïve and un-
 usually penitent, Miss Tardytoes, we
 would have to be very severe with you.
 And had you not always, without excep-
 tion, the most convincing excuses we
 might send 'for real'."

As it is we want to know if it is not
 quite as simple a matter to be on time as
 it is to be 30 minutes behind time? This
 habit of tagging in late is one that arises
 from mental shiftlessness. The brain
 doesn't go about its business with sys-
 tem. It takes up a little work here, drops
 it and takes up some other work there.
 The thing is to keep your thoughts driv-
 ing neatly and straight ahead. If you
 have a luncheon engagement, give your-
 self plenty of time and throw in a quar-
 ter of an hour for emergencies. How can
 you tell when a demand may be made on
 your time during the getting ready pro-
 cess? The baby may fall down and
 bump her beautiful pink nose, and there
 is eight minutes of kissing and consoling
 to be invested. The cook may be pro-
 strated because the steak is only two
 inches thick, or the laundry may arrive
 with an argument in the shape of an
 over-sized bill. All these interruptions are
 among the possibilities. Provide for
 them, Miss Tardytoes.—Elmira Tele-
 gram.

Housework For Young Girls.
 In households where girls of the fam-
 ily undertake most of the housework be-
 tween them they are generally too busy
 to waste much time, for if they do the
 work never gets done at all, but a young
 girl who has but recently left school and
 who has hardly "fitted into" the home
 life as her mother's right hand often be-
 comes quite lazy and neglectful without
 realizing the fact in the least. Every
 girl, if she be not thoroughly selfish, is
 anxious to lift some of the burden of
 household management from her mother's
 shoulders on to her own, but unfortun-
 ately many girls wait to be asked to do
 things instead of being constantly on the
 lookout for little duties which they are
 capable of doing.

If you would be of any real use in the
 home, you must be quick to notice what
 is wanted—the room that needs dusting,
 the flowers which require rearranging,
 the curtain which has lost a ring and is
 therefore drooping. And then you must
 not only be willing to do what is needed,
 but willing to do it pleasantly, without
 making people feel that you are being
 martyred. It is almost useless to take
 up any household duties unless you do
 them regularly. If you do a thing one
 day and not the next, you can never be
 depended on, and if some one else has
 to be constantly reminding you of and
 supervising your work it probably gives
 that person more trouble than doing it
 herself would cause.

Victoria and Her Babies.
 The mother of nine children, one of the
 late Queen Victoria's most womanly
 traits was an intense love for little ones.
 The queen was proud of her babies. She
 was exceptionally proud to find that
 Prince Arthur as a baby was bigger
 than the keeper's child at Balmoral of the
 same age. With motherly pride, she had
 careful measurements of the latter made
 for purposes of comparison.

It is interesting to note in this connec-
 tion that her majesty thought the Duke
 of Connaught more like his father in per-
 sonal appearance and character than any
 of her other sons.

Another interesting point is that the
 queen incurred a fine of 7s. 6d., or about
 \$1.90, for allowing six weeks to elapse
 before registering the birth of the Duke
 of Edinburgh.

For the baptizing of her children the
 queen used water from the river Jordan.
 This is now used at all royal baptisms in
 England.

A Story of Ouida.
 A story is told by the Onlooker of how
 Lord Balmoral once took in Ouida to
 dinner. The disappointed poetess, who
 the great authoress devoted herself to the
 dishes rather than to intellectual refresh-
 ment. He said at last, in despair at hav-
 ing only been able to get "yes" and "no"
 in answer to the different subjects he in-
 troduced: "I'm afraid I'm singularly un-
 fortunate in my choice of topics. Is there
 anything we could talk about to interest
 you?" To which the chronicler of soci-
 ety's shortcomings replied: "There is one
 thing which would interest me very much.
 Tell me about the duchesses. I have
 written about them all my life and never
 met one yet."

Before she made a name as a writer
 Ouida was a governess in England.

Friends and Lovers.
 Girls don't seem always to be able to
 discriminate between lovers and friends,
 and it is no uncommon thing for a girl to
 assure a man that her feeling for him is
 merely friendly and later on to find that
 he is just the one man in the whole
 world for her. Perhaps she does not dis-
 cover her mistake till he has gone away,
 and, being too shy to send him some
 little token to show him that she cares, he
 all unknowing of the happiness that
 might be his—marries some girl to whom
 he can never give wholehearted affection.
 And the girl? In process of time she may
 marry, too; but, though she may love her
 husband really and truly, she will always
 cherish after her tender memories that
 of her first love story.—Chicago News.

Cold water can do no harm to any mat-
 terial that is washable. It will often re-
 move stains better than any other agent
 and should be given the first chance, un-
 less in a case where it is known that it
 has no power on the stain or that it is
 so good as some other agent. It should
 always be used for blood stains, meat
 juice, white of egg or other albuminous
 substance.

A recipe for good orange jelly is one
 ounce of gelatin, one pint of water, half
 a pound of loaf sugar, rind of two or-
 anges and juice of eight, and one lemon.
 Let it gradually come to a boil and boil
 for one minute. Strain it through muslin.
 A few drops of cochineal improve the
 color.

The smoke from a lamp often soils a
 ceiling in one particular spot, while the
 rest remains beautifully white. It is use-
 ful to know that soils on the ceiling
 caused by smoke and other things will be
 rendered less conspicuous if rubbed over
 with dry whiting.

Says a cynical man: "When a man is
 successful in any line of thought
 is how pleased the man will
 be; a woman's success in any line of
 thought is how furious she will be."

COMMON PROPERTY.
 Public Praise is Public Property.
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 says:—"I had a distressing pain in my
 back, dizziness and headaches and an
 annoying urinary difficulty. I went to
 Milbourn's pharmacy and got Doan's
 Kidney Pills for it, and they gave me
 great relief. I had an accident which
 injured my spine, and my physician
 told me it is incurable, consequently
 cannot hope for a permanent cure but I
 will say this, by taking half a box of
 Doan's Kidney Pills I was relieved of
 my backache and the urinary difficulty,
 I gave the balance of the box to my
 son, who was troubled with kidney com-
 plaint. They did him as much good
 that he went and got more and they
 cured him."

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For Portsmouth and Portsmouth's Interests

You want local news! Read the Herald. More local news than all other local dailies combined. Try it.

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1901.

An Italian immigrant steamer arrived in New York on Thursday and there was not a case of small pox aboard. But she had something worse than that; she brought 939 dogs.

It is announced that one of the state departments is collecting a remarkable lot of statistics in regard to fish catching in New Hampshire. Properly sworn to, no doubt these statistics will be duly credited.

It appears that when the mob attacks a street car in Albany, N. Y., the troops who are there to protect it shoot the proprietors of stores who happen to come to their doors to see what is going on. Such soldiers as these should be armed with soft snow balls and sent out in the country where the worst damage they can do is to break glass.

Attorney General Knowlton of Massachusetts, during his term as district attorney and attorney general, has appeared as public prosecutor in eighteen murder trials. We think the present attorney general of New Hampshire, who was solicitor of Rockingham county before being attorney general, can beat this record. If we remember correctly, Mr. Eastman's first appearance as attorney general was in our most famous murder trial, the Almy case.—Concord Monitor.

Is our old friend, the "skeeter" to see his finish? It looks that way, if the statements of scientists can be believed. Dr. I. O. Howard, chief of the division of entomology of the agricultural department in Washington says: "As a result of the enforcement of measures determined upon we hope to attain the practical extinction of mosquitoes. Communities that have been suffering from the mosquito scourge will be able to say they have no mosquitoes. The health of the community will improve, real estate values will rise and ground now practically worthless will become splendid sites for homes."

Massachusetts legislators have found a new way to worry the official lobbyists, the licensed agents who are permitted to further legislation at the state house. The legislators, according to "Practical Politics," "borrow" from the various agents, not much, \$5, \$10 or \$15 at a time, and so passes on his way. This practice has prevailed to some extent in the past, but all say that it has become more common than ever this year. The agents, while at first disposed to frown on it, have found it rather a handy way of meeting their various obligations, and it seems to be fairly the vogue. The agents are obliged to report their expenditures to the legislature, but these personal "loans" they need not count.

It has been pointed out that we are much behind in this country in docking facilities and the means of handling cargoes at American ports. But, says the New York Mail and Express, no sooner do American enterprise and capital take possession of the largest of the British freight carrying concerns, to operate in conjunction with a purely American company on this side, than the combination finds it necessary to make a large overhauling of the London docks. The report is that the Leyland and Atlantic Transport lines are to spend \$10,000,000 in improvements which will reduce the cost of handling freight to about one-third of what it is under the "old-fashioned method in use in London." Great Britain's repose upon her commercial laurels is getting so many shocks nowadays that she may get awakened to the startling fact that they are being attacked.

Mr. Clifford Spinnay arrived home this afternoon from Lawrence, Mass., to pass Sunday with his parents. Mr. Spinnay will become the foreman in the composing room of the Lawrence News on Monday next.

PAN-AMERICAN EXPOSITION

Buffalo, N. Y., May 1st to Nov 1st, 1901.

The Herald's Free Trip Voting Contest

This is One Vote

Name _____
Write or stamp name of your favorite and mail or send to the VOTING DEPARTMENT, PORTSMOUTH HERALD. Last vote must be in this office at 7:30 P. M. June 5th.

PICKUPS AT RANDOM.

"Some folks are bound to kick," said a Congress street merchant to me on Friday evening, in speaking of the digging up the street for the sewer on Congress street, between Vaughan and Middle streets. "I noticed that only yesterday. It was necessary, to prevent the blocking of the electric tracks, to pile the earth taken out of the trench, on the sidewalk on my side of the street. The sidewalk on the opposite side was perfectly clear, as usual. Most of the people who had to come up or down the street would look ahead, in case they were on this side of the street, then take to the crossing and use the other side. The kickers, the kind of people who seem to realize nothing but just where they happen to be standing or walking, would mount the pile of earth on the sidewalk and complain. And every storekeeper on the street, so far as I know, took the matter philosophically, hoping, of course, that the earth would be thrown back as soon as possible."

"When you spoke, the other morning, about the clock on the old South Ward room having a touch of rheumatism, it reminded me that the two new clocks in the city, (I mean the one in the North church steeple and in the tower of the Jones brewery,) are remarkably correct time keepers," said a man I met on State street, one evening recently. "I live where I can hear both clocks strike, quite plainly under ordinary atmospheric conditions, and, do you know, that week in and week out, the two clocks strike almost simultaneously, so evenly and reliably do they compare. I have found, too, that the two clocks are depended upon quite generally by those who would perhaps consider it a crime to have their watch off."

The signs of spring multiply, in spite of the almost frosty east wind. The most recent evidence of the arrival of the season is in the perfume of the willows, that delicate and sweet odor which comes with the springing out of the green leaves. This swamp wood, almost worthless and nothing but a poor fuel, has this one redeeming feature, and the air in the vicinity of a clump of these trees at this time is more fragrant than that of hothouse products.

Everybody who travels over the Boston and Maine railroad between Portland and Dover has recently missed Conductor Gilman, the popular, white-haired old official who has served the road so faithfully for forty-eight years. He is the oldest conductor in point of service on the Boston and Maine system and up to last week he had never been obliged to lose a day from illness.

A Portsmouth woman who bought some fly paper not long ago (she thought she'd get ready for the flies good and early) thoughtlessly hid it in her husband's extra trousers, to prevent the baby from getting it, and then she forgot where she had put it. Her husband found it for her, all right, the next Sunday.

Planting and house cleaning have made close connections this year. The women are busy digging out the dirt, while the men are more than busy digging in the dirt. And the women would probably say that the men are equally busy bringing in the dirt.

Herbert Gray, manager of Thomas W. Lawson's trotting stable, has arrived at Granite State park with a string of fifteen horses belonging to the Boston millionaire. They are the finest bred of any stable in the country. It is expected that fifteen more of them will be brought to the park soon. Manager Christie is very fortunate in having this splendid string locate there, as it speaks highly for Granite State park as training quarters.

One of the most popular and effective figures on the comic opera stage is Josephine Bartlett, who will come here with the Bostonians. Without the brilliant work of this artist, the organization would be a mere shadow, for few singers on the stage are so versatile. In great variety of roles, she is unequalled. Her latest is a beautiful woman of great attractive figure.

If you are looking for a beautiful spring poem I've found one equal to the best of

forts of Moses Gage Shirley, New Hampshire's poet laureate:

In the spring the groaning husband eats his victuals in the barn, for his wife must clean the mansion, and she doesn't care a darn; and the yard is full of carpets and the trees are full of sheets, and he has to live on sauerkraut, cistern water and sliced beets. Oh, a woman's in her glory when she tears things all apart, piling bed and chairs and pillows in a way to break your heart. And at night the groaning husband has to sleep upon the porch, and he feels plum disgusted that he can't enjoy his torch. When the blamed old cleaning's over then the wife is taken ill, and it keeps her husband busted buying dope and drug and pill; and the mansion is no cleaner than it was when she began, but she'd slay him if he said so—and he is a prudent man.—New York Tribune.

MAN ABOUT-TOWN.

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES.

Following are among the conveyances of real estate in the county of Rockingham for the week ending May 15th, as recorded in the register of deeds:
Exeter—Ella J. Hayes, Haverhill, Mass., to Eugene Williams, lands and buildings on Portsmouth avenue, \$1.
New Castle—Albert H. White to James W. White, land, \$600.
Seabrook—Josiah Merrill et al., East Kingston, to James W. Parington, Kensington, salt marsh, \$1.
Stratham—Florence S. Adams to Edward H. Adams, both of Portsmouth, land, \$1.
Rye—Benjamin F. Webster, Portsmouth, to Roscoe H. Berry, land, \$1; Thomas J. Rand to Allen J. Porter, land, \$1; Mary A. Martin et al., Manchester, to Charles E. Trafton, Portsmouth, land, \$1.
Portsmouth—Joseph R. Holmes to Josiah Hutchings, land on Lincoln avenue extension, \$1; Freeman H. Peverly to Elias K. Laak, land on Whipple street, \$1; Clarence H. Paul to Margaret E. Schurman, land on Dennett street, \$1; Daniel Collins to Clarence H. Paul, land on Dennett street, \$1; Martha A. Decourcy, York, Me., to Abbie E. Margeson, land and buildings on Wentworth street, \$1; city to Daniel Collins, land on Dennett street, \$1.15.

STATE NEWS.

Hollis wants a new town clock.
Ninety-five children attend school in Gilsam.
Bicycle thieves are doing business in Rochester.

The valuation of the town of Swanzy is \$767,010.

Memorial day orators: Rev. Edwin N. Jarrett at Epping; Rev. D. M. Dragg at Hill.

A camp of Sons of Veterans is to be organized in Keene on the evening of May 27.

The West Swanzy Box Co. is to increase its capital stock from \$10,000 to \$25,000.

Mrs. Mary Drew Peavay of Moultonboro celebrated her 106th birthday at South Boston.

The Dover police continue to make trouble for the saloon and roadhouse keepers in that city.

Suncook will be a dusty town this year as the villagers have refused an appropriation for street sprinkling purposes.

Mrs. Emma Slade, one of the oldest women in New Hampshire, died at the home of her niece in Walpole Tuesday night. Had she lived until Nov. 3 she would have been 102 years old. Mrs. Slade was born in Fitzwilliam, Nov. 3, 1799.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a tea spoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PAN-AMERICAN CONTEST.

Two Weeks More Only of the Collecting of Votes.

Votes Come Today from Milford, Mass., for Mr. Leary.

Mr. Hanscom, Mr. Leary and Mr. Fernald the Leaders at Noon Today.

There are but two weeks more of vote collecting in the Pan-American contest.

The list stands today practically the same as it did on Friday afternoon. A package of votes came today for Mr. Leary, from Milford, Mass.

The three leaders at the close of the week are Mr. Hanscom, Mr. Leary, and Mr. Fernald, in the order named. Mr. Verrell and Mr. Hett are well up in the contest, and Col. Tibbets and Mr. Lynch will of course have a strong showing before the finish.

The list today stands as follows:

Charles W. Hanscom, K. G. E.	2270
John F. Leary, A. O. H.	2156
William S. Fernald, Chemical Engine Co. No. 5.	1459
Charles D. Varrell, Sagamore S. F. E. Co.	1358
Harold N. Hett, Portsmouth Bicycle club.	1261
Col. John P. Tibbets, Gen. Gilman Marston command, U. V. U.	983
Dennis J. Lynch, Keasarge Engine Co.	978
Edwin F. Howe, Warner club	82
Charles H. Kehoe, M. H. Goodrich Co.	56
John Ham, W. J. Sampson, H. & L. Co.	21
Fred Manson, M. H. Goodrich Co.	17
W. J. Kehoe, P. C. C.	16
Capt. Horace E. Peverly, Co. B, N. H. N. G.	12
John A. Harmon, assistant engineer, P. F. D.	12
George Jones, Keasarge Engine Co.	7

MILFORD, MASS., May 16, 1901.

Editor Herald, Portsmouth, N. H.:

DEAR SIR:—Enclosed are sixteen votes which you will please add to the credit of Mr. John F. Leary in the contest for the trip to Buffalo. I am not acquainted with him, but am satisfied that his popularity will place him a winner and trust he will surpass all comers.

Yours truly,
P. J. B. RIKES.
Milford, Mass.

The conditions of the contest are as follows, a most liberal offer:
The Portsmouth Herald agrees to send three residents of Portsmouth, who are either members of the Portsmouth fire department, a social club or of some secret society, to the Pan-American exposition, pay all their expenses from the time they leave, until they return, including a week in Buffalo, with board and lodging and admission to the exposition daily.

This offer beats anything ever announced by any newspaper in New England, and is so far above the expense and interest of a trip to the national inauguration that it cannot be mentioned in the same class.

The contest will not be restricted to gentlemen but will be open to any lady who is a member of the various secret societies or auxiliary societies in Portsmouth.

The trip will include stop over privileges en route and returning and first class accommodations will be provided. In order that every detail of the grand tour may be properly looked after, the publishers will either send an agent in advance or with the party to make arrangements.

Everybody knows that the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo is to be grander and greater in every way than the World's fair and the visit will be the event of a lifetime.

The contest opened on Monday, March 4, when the first ballot appeared and which will appear daily until June 1, next, the last ballot to appear on the latter date, and the three persons having the greatest number of votes will have the grand privilege that has been offered. The last ballots must be received at the Herald office by 7:30 p. m., on Wednesday June 5, and the results of the contest will be announced at the earliest possible date.

This is an opportunity never before equalled in this section of the country and well worth the attention of every one eligible for such a trip. Vote early and vote often. Elect yourself.

Business trip to Buffalo, N. Y. by the Herald. It pays to go.

TANGIN

is no cure-all—it only cures the ailments of a weary woman

KITTERY.

Rev. and Mrs. Manning P. Tobey will remain at Kittery Point over Sunday.

Rev. Robert L. Dutton, pastor of the Pearl Street Baptist church in Portsmouth, was a visitor in Kittery on Friday afternoon.

The two addresses to be delivered here by Hon. W. W. Steaton, state superintendent of schools, will attract a large number of persons interested in the schools, while the local teachers will also have subjects that ought to receive attention.

The funeral of the wife of Porter Emery of Kittery Point was held in the Free Baptist church in the village on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, the pastor, the Rev. Victor Morse, conducting the service. The interment was in the family lot in the family cemetery. The undertaker was from York.

The third death to occur at Kittery Point within a few days took place at about eight o'clock this morning, when Mrs. Abbie Jane Tobey, wife of Mesach Tobey, a respected woman, passed away after a two weeks' sickness from pneumonia. Her age was 61 years. She is survived by a husband, who is employed at the navy yard, and three sons, Ernest, Roy and Winfield. One of the sons, Roy, is critically ill with the disease which caused his mother's death.

The following corporations have been organized in Kittery under the Maine laws:

C. B. Mather corporation, to deal in canoes, launches, sailboats, etc.; \$10,000 capital. President, William M. Hale, Rowley, Mass. Certificate approved May 15, 1901.
Piedmont Chemical company, to conduct a general mining business; \$100,000 capital. President, Joseph A. Johnson, Atlanta, Ga.; treasurer, Arthur Merritt, Milton, Mass. Certificate approved May 15, 1901.
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OBITUARY.

Charlotte Marden.
Mrs. Charlotte Marden, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Rye, passed away on Friday night, aged ninety-seven years, ten months and twenty-three days. She is survived by five children, John P. Marden and Mrs. Robert O. Foss of Rye, Capt. Daniel W. Marden of Kittery, Mrs. Arthur Goss and Mrs. Jackson Goss of this city. She also leaves ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

OBSEQUES.

The funeral of Jeremiah H. Roby, was held at the home of the deceased in North Hampton, the Rev. Mr. Haines of the Congregational church conducting the services. The interment was in the family lot in the North Hampton cemetery. Mr. H. W. Nickerson of this city was the funeral director.

OLD SOLDIER'S EXPERIENCE.

M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health. They always do. Try them. Only 25c at Globe Grocery Co."

MUCH INTEREST SHOWN.

Much local interest centers in the New Hampshire Intercollegiate association meet to be held Friday, May 31, in Concord.

It is said that Newport, Claremont, Kimball Union academy, New Hampton, Colby academy, Portsmouth, Nashua, Pinkerton, Manchester and Concord are to compete. Portsmouth is expected to make a most creditable showing.

PENSION CHANGES.

New Hampshire—Original, Francis W. Towkabay, North Danabarton, \$8. Increase, John E. Snell, New Mills, \$10. Original widows, etc., secured May 4, Mary F. Stearns, \$10. War of 1812, widow, secured May 4, Mary A. Lane, \$10.

PORTSMOUTH'S SECRET AND SOCIAL SOCIETIES.

WHEN AND WHERE THEY MEET.

A Guide for Visitors and Members.

OAK CASTLE, NO. 4, K. G. E.

Meets at Hall, Peirce Block, High St., Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each month.

Officers—Charles E. Oliver, P. C.; Willis B. Mathes, N. C.; Robert M. Herriot, V. C.; Frank E. Abbott, H. P.; William H. Hampshire, V. H.; Fred Gardner, K. of E.; Charles W. Hanscom, C. of E.; Samuel R. Gardner, M. of E.; George F. Knight, S. H.

PORTSMOUTH COUNCIL, NO. 2, O. U. A.

Meets at Hall, Franklin Block, First and Third Thursday of each month.

Officers—Harry Hersum, C.; William P. Gardner, V. C.; Edward E. Voudy, S. Ex.; George D. Richardson, J. Ex.; Frank Pike, R. S.; Frank C. Langley, P. S.; J. W. Marden, T.; Willis Brooks, Ind.; Arthur Parham, E.

OSCEOLA LODGE, NO. 48, I. O. O. F.

Meets in Odd Fellows' Hall every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Officers—Albert G. Stimpson, N. G.; Frederick B. Higgins, V. G.; Howard Anderson, Sec.; Edwin B. Prime, Treas.; Albert C. Plumer, Fin. Sec.

The Degree Flag will be displayed when degrees are conferred. Each for it. All are cordially invited to attend the Lodge meetings and are assured a cordial greeting.

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Meets at Hall, Daniel St., Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each month, except Second Tuesday of June, July and August, and Fourth Tuesday of September.

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WITH THE THEATRICAL FOLK.

Andrew Mack's new play Tom Moore, is a success.

Thomas Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle, plays in Manchester tonight.

Maude Adams will produce next season a new play by J. M. Barrie.

William Morris plays Nashua tonight in When We Were Twenty-One.

Barley McCullum, closed his season with Way Down East last Saturday.

David Henderson, the Western manager, has leased the Columbus, Boston.

Thomas F. Ince is making a strong success as the Imp in When We Were Twenty-One.

Adelaide Thurston expects to star next season in a new play by Henry Guy Carleton.

James J. Corbett is said to have lost anywhere from \$12,000 to \$18,000 in last week's stock juggle in Wall street.

Prescott R. Loveland notifies managers that he has relinquished his interest in Kennedy's Players and resigned from the management.

Herbert Kealey and Effie Shannon will be under their own management next season, and will produce, it is said, a new play by Martha Morton.

A dramatization of the Rev. C. M. Sheldon's novel, "Edward Blake," is being made and may be produced by students of Washburn College, Topeka, Kan.

Cecilia Loftis was taken with acute indigestion on Thursday and was unable to reappear since at Keith's. She probably will rest until the opening of her special tour on June 3.

Jules Murty will manage next season Lewis Morrison in a new production of Faust, Lost River, with all the original scenery and effects, and a new play, Vermont, by Charles Barnard, with Archie Boyd, as the star.

William H. West's minstrels closed on last Saturday at the Boston Theatre, Boston, one of the most successful seasons they ever had. William H. West and his manager, Sanford A. Ricaby have gone to New York. The company visited almost every section of the United States, playing to phenomenal receipts, and winning praise from critics in almost every city visited.

A Few Words

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A prominent Montreal clergyman, the Rev. James H. Dixon, Rector St. Jules and Hon. Canon of Christ Church Cathedral, writes:—"Permit me to tell you a few lines to strongly recommend PERRY DAVIS' PAIN-KILLER. I have used it with satisfaction for thirty-five years. It is a preparation which deserves full public confidence."

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EASTERN DIVISION

Winter Arrangement, in Effect Oct. 3.

Trains Leave Portsmouth
For Boston, 3.50, 7.30, 8.15, 10.35 a.m., 2.21, 5.00, 7.28 p.m. Sunday, 7.30, 8.00 a.m., 2.21, 5.00 p.m.
For Portland, 9.55, 10.45 a.m., 3.45, 8.50, 9.20 p.m. Sunday, 8.30, 10.45 a.m., 8.55 p.m.
or Wells Beach, 9.45 a.m., 2.40, 5.45 p.m. Sunday, 8.40 a.m.
For Old Orchard and Portland, 9.55 a.m., 2.45, 5.22 p.m. Sunday, 8.30 a.m.
North Conway, 9.55 a.m., 2.45 p.m.
For Somersworth, 4.50, 9.45, 9.55, 10.45 a.m., 2.40, 3.45, 5.22, 5.30 p.m.
For Rochester, 9.45, 9.55 a.m., 3.40, 2.45, 5.22, 5.30 p.m.
For Dover, 4.50, 9.45 a.m., 12.30, 3.40, 5.22, 5.30 p.m. Sunday, 8.30, 10.45 a.m., 8.57 p.m.
For North Hampton and Hampton, 7.30, 8.15, 10.35 a.m., 5.00 p.m. Sunday, 8.00 a.m., 5.00 p.m.
Trains for Portsmouth
Leave Boston, 7.30, 9.00, 10.10 a.m., 12.30, 3.30, 4.45, 7.00, 7.45 p.m. Sunday, 4.30, 8.30, 9.00 a.m., 6.40, 7.00 p.m.
Leave Portland, 2.00, 9.00 a.m., 12.45, 6.00 p.m. Sunday, 2.00 a.m., 12.45 p.m.
Leave North Conway, 7.25 a.m., 4.15 p.m.
Leave Rochester, 7.19, 9.47 a.m., 3.50, 6.25 p.m. Sunday, 7.00 a.m.
Leave Somersworth, 6.35, 7.32, 10.00 a.m., 4.05, 6.39 p.m.
Leave Dover, 8.50, 10.24 a.m., 1.40, 4.30, 6.30, 9.25 p.m. Sunday, 7.30 a.m., 9.25 p.m.
Leave Hampton, 9.22, 11.53 a.m., 2.13, 4.50, 6.16 p.m. Sunday, 6.26, 10.03 a.m., 8.09 p.m.
Leave North Hampton, 9.23, 11.59 a.m., 2.19, 5.05, 6.21 p.m. Sunday, 6.30, 10.12 a.m., 8.15 p.m.
Leave Greenland, 9.35 a.m., 12.05, 2.25, 5.11, 6.27 p.m. Sunday, 6.35, 10.18 a.m., 8.30 p.m.

SOUTHERN DIVISION

PORTSMOUTH BRANCH

Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:
Portsmouth, 8.30 a.m., 12.45, 5.25 p.m.
Greenland Village, 8.39 a.m., 12.54, 6.33 p.m.
Rockingham Junction, 9.07 a.m., 1.07, 5.58 p.m.
Epping, 9.22 a.m., 1.21, 6.14 p.m.
Raymond, 9.32 a.m., 1.32, 6.25 p.m.
Returning leave
Concord, 7.45, 10.25 a.m., 8.30 p.m.
Manchester, 8.40, 11.10 a.m., 4.20 p.m.
Raymond, 9.10, 11.48 a.m., 5.02 p.m.
Epping, 9.23 a.m., 12.00 p.m., 5.15 p.m.
Rockingham Junction, 9.47 a.m., 12.17, 5.53 p.m.
Greenland Village, 10.01 a.m., 12.30, 6.06 p.m.
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Leaves Portsmouth—8.30, 8.50, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00 a.m., 12.15, 1.45, 2.15, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.00, 6.40 p.m. Sundays, 10.07, 10.15, 12.05, 12.35, 12.45 p.m. Holidays, 10.00, 11.00 a.m., 12.00 p.m.
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SUNDAY SERVICES.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Rev. L. H. Thays, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at the chapel at 12.30. Young people's meeting at 6.45 p.m. Vespers service at 7.30. All are welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. George W. Gile, pastor. Services at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday school in the chapel at 12.00. Prayer meetings Tuesdays and Fridays at 7.45 p.m. All are invited.

FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Robert L. Dunston, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a.m. Sunday school at 11.45 a.m. Junior Christian Endeavor meeting at 3.00 p.m. Prayer meeting at 7.30 p.m. Christian Endeavor meeting Tuesday evening at 7.30. Prayer and social meeting Friday evening at 7.30. All are welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Court street, Rev. F. H. Gardiner, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12.00. Young people's meeting at 6.30 p.m. Evening service at 7.30. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting on Tuesday evening and prayer meeting on Friday evening at 7.30. All are welcome.

OLD ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Church hall, Rev. Henry E. Hovey, pastor. Sunday at 10.30 a.m., morning prayer, litany and sermon. Holy communion, first Sunday in every month and the greater festivals, 12.00. Holy days, 8.30 a.m. Evenings, Sundays, 8.30 p.m. Fridays, Ember days, in chapel at 5.00 p.m. Parish Sunday school in chapel at 8.00 p.m. At the evening service, both in church and chapel, the seats are free. At all the services strangers are cordially welcomed and provided for.

UNITARIAN CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.

Madison street, head of Austin street, Rev. Charles LeY. Brine, pastor. On Sundays, holy communion at 7.30, matins or holy communion at 10.30 a.m. Sunday school at 12.00. On week days, matins (daily) at 9.00 a.m., evensong (daily) at 5.00, on Friday, evensong at 7.30 p.m. holy communion, Thursday at 7.30 a.m. On holy days, holy communion at 7.30, matins at 9.00 a.m., evensong at 7.30 p.m. Seats free and unappropriated. Good music. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

State street, Rev. Thomas Whiteside, pastor. Morning prayer at 10.00. Preaching service at 10.30 a.m. Sunday school at 12.00. Epworth League meeting at 6.30 p.m. Prayer meeting at 7.30 p.m. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—UNIVERSALIST.

Pleasant street, corner Junkins avenue, Rev. George E. Leighton, pastor. Morning prayer and sermon at 10.30. Sunday school at 12.00. Administration of the holy sacrament the first Sunday in the month at 11.45 a.m. Good music. Y. P. C. U. meetings every Sunday evening at 6.30 in the vestry. Strangers are especially welcome.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 12.00. All are invited.

ADVENT CHURCH.

C. M. Seaman, pastor. Social service at 10.30 a.m. Preaching at 2.45 and 7.30 p.m. Sunday school at 12.00. Prayer service at 7.15 p.m. All are invited.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.

Rev. Patrick J. Finnegan, pastor. Services at 8.30 and 10.30 a.m. Vespers at 8.00 p.m.

PROTESTANT CHURCH.

Rev. R. L. Harris, pastor. Service from 11 to 12 every Sunday morning. Sunday school at 8 p.m. Praise meeting at 7.30 p.m. Preaching at 8 p.m. Young people's meeting on Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Cottage meetings on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services, which are free to all.

Y. M. C. A.

William Frederic Hoehn, general secretary. Association rooms open from 9.00 to 9.30 p.m. Men's meeting. Sundays, at 8.30 p.m. All are welcome.

SALVATION ARMY.

Meetings will be held all day in the hall on Market street. Hall drill at 1.30 a.m. Holiness meeting at 10.00 a.m. Free and easy at 3.00 p.m. Salvation meeting at 8.00 p.m.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. E. C. Andrews, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a.m. Sunday school at 12.00. Epworth League meeting at 6.00 p.m. Evening service at 7.00. All are cordially invited.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. Elbridge Gerry, pastor. Preaching at 10.45 a.m. Sunday school at 12.00. Prayer meeting at 7.00 p.m.

SECOND CHRISTIAN CHURCH, KITTERY.

Rev. Mr. Hall, pastor. Preaching at 10.30 a.m. Sunday school at 11.45 a.m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6.00 p.m. Prayer meeting at 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SOUTH ELIOT.

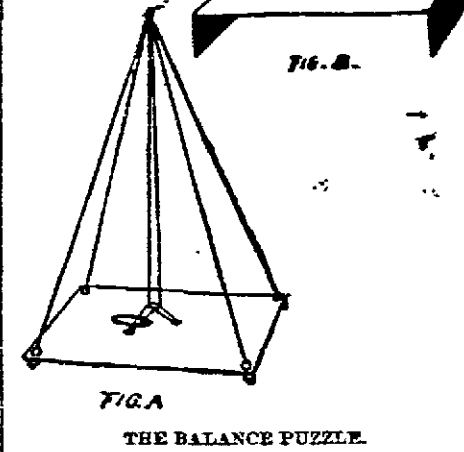
Rev. Geo. W. Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 10.00 a.m. Prayer meeting at 11.30 a.m. Preaching at 2.00 and 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.

REV. ELBRIDGE GERRY, PASTOR. SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 1.00 P. M. PREACHING AT 2.00 P. M. PRAYER MEETING AT 7.30 P. M.

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

A Mechanical Puzzle.

Cut a piece of cardboard four inches square. In the middle punch two holes, and punch a hole also in each corner. Take four pieces of thread eight inches long and knot the ends together. Then pass one thread through each corner hole of the card and fasten them there by tying a knot to each. Now take another piece of thread 18 inches long and double it in the middle, then pass the loop down through one of the holes in the middle of the card and up through the other hole, and pass the loop through a small ring. Next pass the ends of the thread through the loop and draw it



THE BALANCE PUZZLE.

tight, and fasten the ends to the knot joining the four other threads (Fig. A). The puzzle is to get the ring off the threads without cutting them.
Take the loop and pass it down through one of the corner holes under the thread and pull the bead down through the loop. Do this to each corner, and the loop will now be seen to surround the whole of the threads. Pass the loop down over the cardboard, when the ring will come off. To replace the ring reverse the movement.
The Card Bridge.—Take a visiting card and bend it up as in figure B, so that the parts bent up are half an inch high. Now place this card on a table, resting on the two bent parts. He is to blow the card bridge right over on its back. This will not be so easy as it appears. The secret is in blowing on the table about six inches in front of the bridge.

A Razorback's Sense.

While dogs have been celebrated for semihuman intelligence and cattle have been known to evince some practical understanding, it was a surprise to discover something like intelligence in an animal whose stupidity had given occasion for a proverb. Not long ago one of the razorback indignos to the south made an essay on the fence of a place near by. It had been the site of a sawmill, and the fence was built of waste boards remaining after the removal of the works. The bear commenced his attack at the end of the board part of the fence by swaying sidewise as far as possible without losing balance, and then hurling his bulk against the board as close as he could to the post. He had apparently decided that drawing out the nails would be the easier manner of entrance.

The force of impact was really formidable, and the watchers of his movements were not a little fearful of his success. After several unsuccessful attempts he desisted, but went grunting along the fence as if examining the quality of the lumber until a split plank was found. A sharp crack followed the throwing of himself against the fence. He retired to the charge again and again until the barrier was removed, when, with a satisfied grunt and a squeal of invitation to his numerous family, his long, bristly snout appeared through the opening.—Our Animal Friends.

The Least of Two Evils.

"Which is worse, to tell a lie or to steal, mamma?"
The mother, taken by surprise, answered that both were so bad that she couldn't tell which was the worse.
"Well," said the little one, "I've been thinking a good deal about it, and I think that it is worse to lie than to steal. If you steal a thing, you can take it back, unless you have eaten it, and then you can pay for it. But a lie is forever."

Threads Spun by the Spider.

The body of every spider contains four little masses, pierced with a multitude of holes (impenetrable to the naked eye), each hole permitting the passage of a single thread. All the threads to the amount of 1,000 to each mass join together when they come out and make the single thread with which the spider spins its web, so that what we call a spider's thread consists of more than 4,000 threads united.

Thirsty Little Travelers.

Two little travelers are Teddy and May. Long journeys they take in their morning's play. Exploring the brooks, the garden and lane. They range through the pasture and fields of grain; They visit points of the greatest renown. Without so much as a shilling or crown. Their forests are stretches of waving grass.



Their ocean the meadow, and there, alas, They often are shown the saddest flowers And suffer delay for long, sunny hours! But though to marvellous places they fare Their wanderings have but one end, for this pair Always return with a hop, skip and jump To refresh themselves at the dear old pump.—Youth's Companion.

Didn't Quite Understand.

Little Miss Uperton—Mamma, doesn't the Bible say we should love our neighbors?
Mamma, Yes, dear.
Little Miss U.—Does that include those on the back street as well as those on the avenue?—Golden Days.

SAN FRANCISCO MOURNS

Universal Sympathy For the President Shown.

HOPE AND FEAR ALTERNATE.

Mrs. McKinley Rallied Late at Night After a Day in Which She Had Been Very Close to Death—Husband Constantly With Her.

San Francisco, May 17.—Mrs. McKinley hovered between life and death for hours yesterday. Toward night she rallied, and hope of her recovery was again entertained.
At 11.30 p. m. Secretary Cortelyou stated that no more news regarding Mrs. McKinley's condition would be given out during the night.
At midnight the lights in the building were out, with the exception of the one in the telegraph room.
At 10 p. m. last night Dr. Hirschfelder and H. L. Scott left the Scott residence for the night. Dr. Hirschfelder said that he felt that Mrs. McKinley was decidedly improved. Mr. Scott said he felt much pleased over her condition.

From early morning until the middle of the afternoon it was feared that she would die at any moment. Then hope was renewed by a slight rally about 3 p. m. (6 p. m. eastern time).
Between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning both the president and Dr. Rixey were aroused with the information that Mrs. McKinley was apparently less comfortable than she had been earlier in the night. Both of them hurried to her bedside, but it was not until 5 o'clock that a distinct change for the worse occurred. At that hour the two doctors who are associated with Dr. Rixey in the case were hurriedly summoned.

Mrs. McKinley had suffered a severe relapse, described in the language of the medical attendants as a "sinking spell," and it was feared for some hours after that time that she was about to pass away. Miss Mary Barber, the niece of Mrs. McKinley, was at her bedside, with the president and physicians.
False Report of Death.
Not long after 10 o'clock a report was spread broadcast that Mrs. McKinley was dead. A similar report was circulated as soon as the first one had been denied, and hundreds of the flags which are floating over the city in honor of the president's visit were placed at half mast.
Among the callers at the residence last night were Admiral Casey and Captain Wilson of General Shafter's staff.

Bishop Nichols of the Episcopal church was one of the visitors at the Scott mansion yesterday afternoon. He spent some time with Mrs. McKinley, and as he left the house the seriousness of his expression was commented upon by the waiting crowd. The bishop said he had found Mrs. McKinley in a very low condition, but the physicians informed him that they had not relinquished hope of her recovery. His visit was informal, as Mrs. McKinley and he are of different religious denominations.

The members of the cabinet, with the exception of Secretary Long, who went to the navy yard on official business, spent nearly all day with the president. No matters of public business were discussed, and they were simply there to try to cheer him and to be at hand in case their presence was needed. It was after they called that Secretary Cortelyou, by direction of the president, made the official announcement that all engagements of every character had been abandoned and that he would take no part in any official or private functions so long as he remained in the city.

By concerted action all the functions arranged for the entertainment of the president, the banquet of the Ohio society, the great Knights Templars parade, trips and excursions, have been canceled.

The City's Sympathy.

But one feeling has been created in San Francisco by Mrs. McKinley's illness. It is a sentiment of profound pity for her husband. Regret for the marrying of plans which have brought disappointment to thousands has been forgotten in the finer sentiment of sympathy and almost the personal feeling of responsibility for a feast having been turned into a tragedy.
Every one looked forward to the president and Mrs. McKinley remembering their stay in San Francisco for years to come. Every one expected that it would be a week of rejoicing and revelry, with nothing to mar the perfect pleasure of the days. The flags and the festoons seem out of place. The signs of welcome read like an ironical mockery.
All day long a large but perfectly respectful crowd stood in front of the large and handsome residence of Henry T. Scott, the temporary executive mansion, which has now become historical, and watched every person who came and went, eagerly inquiring for news. Few people were admitted. Even General Shafter, who called early in the day, did not pass beyond the front door.

Governor Nash Is Ill.

The programme for the entertainment of Governor Nash and the Ohio visitors was declared off last night on account of the illness of Governor Nash.
While attending the christening of one of the big trees in his honor near Santa Cruz Monday last he was poisoned with poison oak. He was partially blinded and suffered very much while addressing the Union League club Wednesday night.
Yesterday he had not been out of bed and is attended constantly by a physician and nurses.

TWO MEN FATALLY SHOT

Sad Outcome of Strike Riot at Albany.

VICTIMS WERE ONLY SPECTATORS.

Both Prominent Business Men of the Capital—Soldiers Had Fired on Mob, Which Was Stoning and Insulting Them—Feeling Runs High.

Albany, May 17.—The first real warfare of the strike, in which the sharp discharge of the Springfield rifles mingled with the cries of the crowd and which ended in the death wounds to two of Albany's prominent citizens, were spectators in the crowds, came late yesterday afternoon. As a result William Walsh, a prominent business man, is dead, and Leroy Smith, another merchant, is dying.

With a growing rage the mob had been restrained all day by the massed troops, but when evening was approaching the strikers, enraged beyond measure by the success with which the trolley company had run cars under the guns of the soldiers, lost their awe somewhat through becoming accustomed to see the rifles in the cars—that went by in such maddening triumph.
The trouble started at 4 o'clock, when the presence of the Third signal corps riding down to the station set the mob wild with the idea that more nonunion men were coming from New York. The signal corps rode on to guard repairs in North Albany, but an immense crowd surged around the station in Broadway, feeling at the squad of uneasy Second regiment men on picket duty there.

Half an hour later the car from which the shooting was done whizzed up Broadway. A florist wagon cut across it and stopped. The motorman clanged his bell, but he had to shut off the current, as the wagon would not budge. Lieutenant Wilson shouted stern orders, but the wagon still blocked the way, while the driver defied the soldiers.

Spark Sets the Fire.

This defiance of the young man in shoulder straps was the spark the tinder had waited for all day. The crowd broke in a roar of approval. Somebody cast the first stone. Then came others, a ceaseless volley of them, like bullets from a Maxim. It was an open car, and the stones came clattering in from all sides as the motorman stood baffled by the stubborn driver of the florist wagon. The shouting voice of the young lieutenant was lost in the savage din, but his men heard him. Ten rifles stared impassively at the mob.

"Grind over that — wagon," the officer commanded the motorman, and the car started. The wagon pulled out at last. The rifles were lowered. Seeing the car escaping them, the crowd pursued. The squad of the Second regiment, hesitating, bewildered, were swept aside. In the brief pursuit of 50 yards the stones which had been thrown before were gathered up and again cast. Men who had no business in that mob were carried along with it. Every man was yelling.

"To the soldiers the crowd had no shading. In the mind of the young lieutenant there was clear and sharp the order that Colonel Barnes had spoken personally to each of his officers that morning. "If a single man of your command is struck with a stone, shoot and kill." Leaving far out, Lieutenant Wilson swung along the running board till he faced the mob with raised revolver from the rear platform.

"Make ready!" he shouted back to his men. They took his meaning from the threatening movement of his revolver. Then the lieutenant's revolver spoke at once. At the report Smith fell writhing on the steps of his own store. Bang went the Springfield, a stuttering echo of the revolver. William Rooney, a laboring man, spun about, a bullet tearing through his side. Walsh reeled and lurched face down, a Springfield ball through his stomach. The motorman twisted his lever on full speed. The car dashed up Broadway, leaving the little puffs of smoke floating over a frenzied mass of men in which the blue figures of the Second regiment squad could be seen to be tossed like chips in a maelstrom.

Mob in a Frenzy.

The mob closed up Broadway after the men whose rifles still were hot. The crowd had seen its dead, and men were braved with rage. The roar changed to a shriek, shrill and high keyed. Just then a second car came whizzing up with the rifles of the guards at their shoulders. The frightened motorman charged the crowd at full speed, and it fell back before the rush of the car when its members were so crazed to mind the point blank stare of the Springfield. So this car passed without a shot being fired, though stones banged in and on the car and tinkled on the rifles that were silent. No more cars were run, the one that had sped from the shed being recalled by telephone just before it dipped over Capitol hill.

Leroy Smith had come from his store in Broadway, just beyond the Central station, caught by the contagion of the crowd. He is the senior member of the firm of Smith, Herlick & Co., wholesale dealers in boots and shoes. He is recognized as one of the authorities on what is America, having been for two years president of the American Whist league. He formerly was president of the Albany club, the famous social organization of this city, and also is a member of the Fort Orange Country club and of the Albany Chess club. He is one of the best known men in Albany and lives with his wife and two children in a handsome home on Pine hill. He is 60 years old.

As the crack of Lieutenant Wilson's revolver sounded Mr. Smith lurched and would have fallen had not Mr. Herlick caught him in his arms.
"I've got it, Herlick," said Mr. Smith

TO ENCIRCLE THE GLOBE

Great Transportation Scheme of Hill and Morgan.

SYSTEM IS ALMOST COMPLETED.

Its Chief Factors Are the Great Northern Railway, the Great Northern Steamship Company and the Recently Purchased Leyland Lines.

St. Paul, May 17.—The Pioneer Press says that plans for a transportation system completely encircling the globe are credited to President James J. Hill of the Great Northern and J. Pierpont Morgan of New York. It is stated that but a link to the chain is lacking and that before Mr. Morgan's return from Europe, within a week or two, it will be supplied.

The great factors in the new system are the Great Northern, the Great Northern Railway, the Great Northern Steamship Company, Mr. Hill's trans-Pacific line, soon to be in operation, and the Leyland lines recently purchased by Mr. Morgan. The acquisition of these lines and the one missing link, a line between Alexandria, Egypt, and Hongkong, is said to have been Mr. Morgan's special purpose in visiting Europe.

The system will be of vast benefit to Minnesota and the entire territory traversed by the Great Northern, since it will throw the most of the Asiatic east bound shipments to the United States and Europe through Duluth and St. Paul gateways. It was said by a person conversant with the plans that the new system will be operative as soon as Mr. Hill's steamships are commissioned.

Not a Single Company.

"This, mind you, does not mean the organization of a single company to manage an all around the globe line," said the person mentioned. "As I understand it, the relations between Mr. Hill and Mr. Morgan will result in a natural understanding, traffic agreements and all the other paraphernalia of common interests, effecting the same thing as if all were under a single ownership."

Starting from Buffalo, the Great Northern Steamship company, the Great Northern railway and Mr. Hill's trans-Pacific steamers will give almost an air line to Yokohama, Shanghai and Hongkong. A link to be supplied will continue the line to Alexandria via Singapore and Bombay, and from Alexandria Morgan lines will connect with Mediterranean ports, Liverpool and London. The Leyland lines give direct connection with London and Philadelphia and Liverpool and New York, and roads controlled by the Morgan-Hill interests complete the last division with connections into Buffalo.

May Have Killed Allen Family.

Monson, Me., May 17.—Henry Lambert, a young French-Canadian guide, has been arrested at Shirley on suspicion of being connected with the murder of the Allen family and the burning of the farm buildings. He has freely mingled with the searching parties, and his arrest came as a surprise. He lived in a cabin near the Allen homestead, and the chief bits of evidence said to be held against him are blood stains on the trail between the Allen house and his own cabin and the disappearance of a pair of rubber shoes which he recently bought. Tracks corresponding to the overshoes were found around the ruins the day after the murder.

Bricklayers' Labor Troubles.

New York, May 17.—The Bricklayers' union held a meeting last night and decided not to recede from the stand taken in the matters at issue with the Mason Builders' association. The Mason Builders' association has already announced that unless the Bricklayers' union abandons its position in the matter of ordering a strike of the men employed by Contractor Thomas J. Riley a lockout will be ordered. In case the two parties to the labor controversy are unable to adjust the difficulties today it is expected that at least 15,000 men will be locked out.

Pitt John Porter Very Ill.

New York, May 17.—Word is received from Morrisstown, N. J., that General Pitt John Porter, who for three years has been suffering with chronic diabetes, is at present very ill, his disease having taken such a serious turn that it is feared he may die at any time. General Porter's son and daughter-in-law are now at his bedside, having been called there from New York because of his serious condition. The general is 80 years old.

Fifteen Million Oil Company.

Austin, May 17.—The largest oil charter ever incorporated under the laws of Texas was filed yesterday in the secretary's office. The charter is that of the J. M. Guffey Petroleum company of Beaumont; capital stock, \$15,000,000. It means a consolidation of the Guffey-Galey holdings, which are the most extensive in the Texas oil fields. All of the stock, it is said, has been paid in.

German After Boxers.

London, May 17.—Dr. Morrison, writing to The Times from Peking April 15, says "The German staff have notified the allies of their intention to send another expedition to suppress Boxers in the southern part of the province of Chihli, beyond Ching-ching, and have invited the co-operation of the allies. The departure of the French troops has been countermanded."

Southern Railroad Deal.

Rome, Ga., May 17.—The sale of the Chattanooga, Rome and Southern railway to the Central of Georgia has been ratified here. Stockholder J. B. Kimball, who had enjoined the consolidation, was given bond and security for his stocks and withdrew his objections.

New Famine Begins in India.

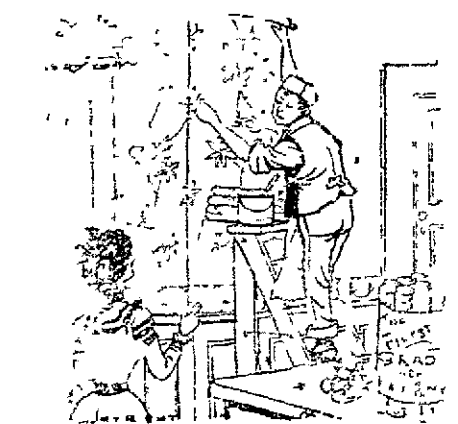
London, May 17.—The failure of the spring crops in India is felt severely. Lord George Hamilton, the Indian secretary, in the house of commons said that the number of persons now receiving relief was 381,000, and it was expected to increase rapidly.

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SATURDAY, MAY 18, 1901.

CITY BRIEFS

Who repairs your shoes? John Mott, 24 Congress St.

The east wind is still doing business of the old stand.

There will be a ball game at Maplewood park this Saturday afternoon.

The First New Hampshire volunteers are to hold a reunion on May 25th.

A big crowd from Kittery attended the Knights of the Golden Eagle dance in Peires hall on Friday evening.

Of all the fish stories that are being told, the one about the local club man catching (?) the big canner is the best.

Impossible to foresee an accident. Not impossible to be prepared for it. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Moserch over pain.

The Bostonians carry a company of sixty people and their own orchestra of ten pieces and a car load of special scenery.

Don't think less of your system than you do of your house. Give it a thorough cleansing, too. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Letter Carriers' association will be held at Contoocook River park on May 25th.

A fine, large camp has been built at Bayside by half a dozen young men, who are to occupy it during the summer months.

Two million Americans suffer the torturing pangs of dyspepsia. No need to. Burdock Blood Bitters cures. At any drug store.

Examinations for licenses to practice medicine in New Hampshire will be held at the state house, Concord, June 11th and 12th.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing, healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

There is a liquor war on in Dover. County Solicitor Scott is responsible for the ordinance which is designed to fully enforce the prohibitory law.

Scratch, scratch, scratch: unable to attend to business during the day, or sleep during the night. Nothing piles horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store 50 cents.

Boston & Maine directors at their meeting Thursday afternoon declared the regular quarterly dividend of 134 per cent on the common stock, and made the same payable July 1. Trans-

Bad Teeth Bad Breath Bad Stomach Bad Food

Hindred to one all the matter with you is from the food you eat. Chances are what you need is the food Nature made for you, not drugs and gruel. Give Nature a chance. Don't try to improve upon her, for you can't. What Nature made for you to eat is what you ought to eat.

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Drop a postal (don't send stamp) for "The Vital Question," 262 ways of preparing Nature's best food. The Shredded Wheat Co., Worcester, Mass.

for books close June 1 and reopen June 15.

Vegetables will be late this season. The rain was not particularly needed. The first butterfly has made an appearance.

There was no police court for the past twenty-four hours.

The nights are too cool, with the east wind coming in from over the sea.

Mr. Smith of the Manchester Union staff was in the city today on business.

The air out in the country is beginning to smell sweet from the perfume of the blossoms.

Cherry blossoms are a week or so later than last year, but still a little earlier than the average.

Capt. Taylor knows nothing yet in regard to his transfer to Boston, or additional work in that district.

There is still quite a sea running in along the coast. The east wind has been very favorable for the surf.

"The local market gardening season is very backward," said an agriculturist. "Little of garden truck has come up yet, but in some sections lettuce stalks by glass is ready for the market and cucumbers similarly protected, have attained a length of six inches. From surrounding towns come reports indicating a heavy hay crop in the country."

At the Advent Christian church on Hanover street tomorrow the pastor will give the last in a series of sermons on the seven churches of Asia. This will be "The Church of Laodicea." Those who desire to see how the hand of God, in the sure word of prophecy, has marked out the present condition of the Christian church, should not fail to be present. Service at 2 45 p. m. Social meeting at 10 20 a. m., Sunday school 12 m., children's meeting at 6 p. m., followed by the evening gospel service at 7 15. All are cordially invited.

TO BE HELD HERE.

Regular Meeting, Next Wednesday, of East Rockingham Pomona Grange.

A regular meeting of East Rockingham Pomona grange will be held in Philbrick hall, Portsmouth, with Strawberry bank grange next Wednesday at 10 a. m., for the transaction of business and the conferring of the fifth degree. Dinner will be served at noon.

A public session will be held at 2 p. m. after the meeting, when professor Morse of Durham will deliver an address on "What is Being Done at the New Hampshire College."

Debates will follow on the questions "Resolved, That the success of the Grange depends more upon the Officers than the Members," and "Resolved, That the Social Features of the Grange are more Beneficial than the Educational." There will be readings and vocal and instrumental music.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

These officers were elected at the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Rockingham County Sunday School association:

President, Rev. William Woods, Exeter, vice presidents, Rev. J. H. Bartlett, Hampton Falls; A. Frank Patten, Candia, executive committee, C. S. Campbell, Derry; Rev. A. B. Howard, Danville; Benjamin R. Jewell, South Hampton; Rev. D. L. Chase, North Hampton; Charles H. Clough, Portsmouth; Wilbur A. Littlefield, Exeter; Rev. Bernard Christopher, Brentwood; John H. Foster, Candia; O. M. James, Northwood; secretary and treasurer, Miss Mary E. Spollett, Hampstead; auditor, Forrest E. Merrill, Hampstead.

THE CROOKER PEN.

The Crocker fountain pen, which is now in the lead of all other articles of the kind, is the invention of a former New Hampshire man, S. S. Crocker, of Bridgewater, Mass., who passed his summers in the old state. The new pen is a wonder. The inventor says it is "A pen without a peer." It is always ready to write, easy to clean, easy to fill, it is ventilated, quickly regulated, reliable and clean. The Crocker Pen company of 113 Devonshire street, Boston, would be pleased to tell you in detail about this pen, which has become the favorite of writers.

HARBOR FRONT NEWS.

Arrived, May 18—Tug Piscataqua, Saco, tug H. A. Mathes, York, schooner Irene E. Meservy, St. John for New York; George W. Collins, Hancock for Boston; Eagle, Franklin for Boston.

Sailed, May 18—Schooner Mildred A. Pope, for; Alma E. Holmes, Perth Amboy.

A GOOD REAR YARD.

The lots to be sold on the Middle road last Wednesday afternoon, have a depth of 101 to 120 feet. They will make the finest of homes. See the advertisement in another part of the paper.

THE OLD NAVY.

Some of the Old Time Ships, With Names Not Familiar at Present.

Every American boy and girl knows something about our old navy. The pictures of the modern battleships and cruisers which were published in newspapers and periodicals in profusion during the war with Spain have been the chief means of bringing the navy prominently before the average American citizen.

While we are justly proud of the achievements of our modern naval fighting machines, it is of interest to look back a little and note what has become of the old navy which forty years ago fought and won battles. In those days people were as enthusiastic over the navy as they are today.

Of the men-of-war which belonged to the U. S. navy at the time of the breaking out of the civil war only twenty-nine remain. They are Canonicus, Catskill, Constitution, Lancaster, Lehigh, Mahoepe, Manhattan, Michigan, Monocacy, Monongahela, Passaic, Pensacola, Portsmouth, Richmond, St. Louis, Saratoga, Vermont, Wabash, Wyandotte, Yantic, Dale, Hartford, Independence, Iroquois, Jamestown, Montank, Nahant, New Hampshire and Minnesota. The Canonicus was built in 1862 as a single-turret monitor. Her displacement was 2100 tons, with a battery of two 15-inch smooth-bore guns and two 12-pounder howitzers. This vessel engaged the battery at Howlett's, James river, in 1864, and bombarded Fort Fisher in 1864-65. She was struck thirty-six times during the first day's fighting at Fort Fisher and badly outgunned. The Canonicus participated in the capture of the prizes Beatrice, Nov. 27, 1864, the Celt, January, 1865, and the Deer, February, 1865, off Charlestown. She is now at anchor at the navy yard at Philadelphia.

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FOR ANNULMENT.

Second Important Move in the Manchester Street Railroad Fight.

MANCHESTER, May 18.—The second important move in the fight between the Manchester Traction, Power and Light company and the grantees of the Massachusetts Horse Railroad company was made yesterday afternoon. It was in the form of a petition to annul the charter held by Mr. Lovell and others, and was entered in the superior court at Nashua late in the afternoon. The bill in equity is signed by the attorney general and now it is the State against Lovell. Before it was the Traction company against the Massachusetts Horse Railroad company. The order is returnable on June 24.

Stripped of its legal verbiage, the bill claims that Mr. Lovell and his associates are usurpers and raises the question that they are unlawfully making threats.

Mr. Lovell was in town late yesterday afternoon, on a flying visit. He did not stay long, but he did a heap of business while he was here. He left on the 6 32 train south, after a few visits to business places and a call on his lawyers.

During his stay he said he would buy the Manchester Traction, Light and Power company, if they could only be induced to sell and would make a fair offer.

In this connection, Mr. Lovell said "We are building the largest power house in New England at Portsmouth and we will transmit the power across the country, and light your city better and cheaper than it has ever been lighted before."

A HANDSOME BOOK.

The annual publication of the passenger department of the Northern Pacific Railway company, entitled, "Wonderland," has been received at this office, and it is one of the handsomest and most valuable advertising books we have seen for a long time. It has an instructive feature as well as the beautiful in printing art. It will be sent to any address to anyone interested in the great northwest, by Charles S. Fee, general passenger and ticket agent, St. Paul, Minn.

IN EXETER JAIL.

William Smith and Hattie M. Baker two Hallowell liquor dealers, were remanded to the Exeter jail, as they failed to secure bonds. Both appealed their cases at the setting of the Plunkett court and each was held in \$100 bonds, which they were unable to secure. They will now await the October term of the superior court, in Portsmouth.

McDONALD BETTER

James H. McDonald, the marine who attempted suicide by jumping from the Washington street bridge into the Cocheco river at Dover on Thursday night is much better and will be all right again soon.

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PERSONALS.

A. B. Coney has returned to Haverhill after passing several days in this city.

Miss Minnie Hutchins has returned from a short visit in Boston and has resumed her duties at French's dry goods store.

Miss Helen Langdon will entertain the Eschere club of which she is a member, at her home on Pleasant street this Saturday evening.

Miss Estelle Bennett has resigned her position as assistant librarian and Miss Jeanette P. Talbot has been chosen to fill the vacancy.

Rev. Henry E. Hovey left Friday for New York city where he will officiate at the funeral of a former member of his parish in this city.

Word has reached here of the death of William E. Hadley at Sumner, Ia. He was for many years a resident of this city and held public office. The body will be brought here for interment.

Dr. F. S. Towle and Dr. A. C. Heflinger, were in Concord on Thursday, attending the 110th anniversary of the New Hampshire Medical society.

Mr. Harold E. Tucker and Miss Eva Gertrude McDonald of Portland, Me., came here Thursday and were married at city hall by City Messenger Robert M. Herick.

Rev. O. S. Baketel, presiding elder of the Manchester district of the New Hampshire conference, will preach on Sunday morning at the Methodist church in this city.

Capt. John Dennett of the revenue cutter Woodbury, who was suddenly taken ill while on a cruise to the eastward some days ago, is now at his home in York village, where he is rapidly recovering.

Howard E. Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, who was formerly a civil engineer at this navy yard, and who has made many friends in this city, is to be married on the 25th of May to a young lady of Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Samuel Chauncey and her four children, Mrs. Gladys and Masters Byron, Roland and Karl, of Melrose, Mass., are guests of her brother, Judge Edward H. Adams, and wife, at their summer home in Stratham.

Commander J. V. B. Bleeker formerly stationed at this yard, has been detached from the Isle de Luzon and ordered to the Marietta. The Marietta which is at Cavite is soon to return to the United States. Commander James K. Cogswell has been ordered to command the Isle de Luzon.

No hay was brought into the city to day. The weather was probably too threatening for the farmers to start out with a jag.

The farmers have the plowing well under way.

"WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE?"

Editor Herald:—I would like to ask why it is gambling to play whist for prizes in an engine house and not at the Woman's exchange or any of the social clubs? If anything, it is worse at the latter two. I would like to know why the ministers of the gospel of the Lord, Jesus Christ, should be so blind as not to see that they are substantiating the oft repeated charge of the irreligious that even they are respecters of persons, that the laboring man has no rights the well off are bound to respect, that right and wrong depend on social position and not on the laws of righteousness laid down in that book we say we believe in.

Brethren of the cloth, how about this? Would our Master say that the social clubs were right and the engine house wrong?

Yours in the name of righteousness and square dealing. KARL TRAXTER.

SHUDDERS AT HIS PAST.

"I recall now with horror," says Mail Carrier Burnett Mann, of Levanua, O., "my three years of suffering from Kidney trouble. I was hardly ever free from dull aches or acute pains in my back. I stooped or lifted mail sacks made me groan. I felt tired worn out, about ready to give up, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but six bottles completely cured me and made me feel like a new man." They're unrivaled to regulate Stomach, Kidneys and Bowels. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by the Globe Grocery Co. Only 50 cents.

NOTICE.

There will be a joint memorial service in commemoration of those who have died since last Memorial Day, by Storrs Post, G. A. R., and the Woman's Relief corps in G. A. R. hall, on Sunday afternoon, at 2 30 o'clock, May 19th, 1901.

Relatives and friends of the deceased specially requested to be present. Free to the public.

LITTLE FERRETT.

May Fiske, in Little Ferrett pleased a good sized audience at Music hall, on Friday evening, and the strong presentation of the play did much to increase the popularity of the company which has been holding the boards at the local playhouse, this week. The character of Ferrett, was one in which Miss Fiske appeared to especially good advantage, and the other parts were well taken by the other members of the company. This (Saturday) afternoon that amusing comedy, My Friend from India will be repeated, and this evening Miss Fiske and her company will present Maid of the Mill.

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